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March 26, Ningellow, British steamer, 1,735.

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March 26, STAR QUEEN, British bark, 264, J

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26TH MARCH

DEPARTURES.

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REPORTS. The British steamer Ningchow, from London. and Singapore 20th March, reports first part light N.E. winds; latter part light N.E. to E.

The British steamer Glamorganshire, from London 16th Jan., and Singapore 19th Mar. reports had moderate monsoon and fine weather from Singapore.

The German steamer Fidelio, from Saigon 21st March, reports from Cape St. James to Cape Varela had strong N.E. breeze, from thence to port light easterly winds.

The British bark Star Queen, from Freemantle Cardiff for Hongkong, 130 days out.

VESSELS PASSED ANJER. February 27, British bark Don Enrique Corning, Feb. 8, from Iloilo for Montreal. 27, British ship Fred. B. Taylor, Tilley, Feb 11. from Hoilo for New York. 28, German bark Maria-& Kathe, Lass, Feb. 7. from Manila for Falmouth. 29. British ship Favonius, Dunham, Feb. 12, from Cebu for Montreal. March 1, Amr. bark Penobscot, Eaton, Feb. 11, from Hongkong for New York. 1. Austrian bark Francesca T., Martinelich,

Feb. 24, from Cheribon for Queenstown. 1. British bark Barbadian, McLean. Feb. 28, from Tanjong Prick, for Sandy Hock. 2. British str. Bulimba, Clarke, March 2, from Batavis for Calcutta. 3, Ned. str. Koningin Emma, Soomer, March 3, from Batavia for Amsterdam. 6, Ned. str. Conrad, Adriani, Jan. 21, from

7, German b'tine Anna, Meinschein, Feb. 28. from Padang for Menado. 8, Italian bark Maria Accame, Bosio, March 2, from Singapore for Liverpool. 8, Nor. bark 3karegrom, Olsen, March 5, from Tanjong Prick, for Montreal. 8, British str. Port Pirio, Hepworth, from

Amsterdam for Batavia.

Newcastle, N.S.W., for Batavia. 9, Amr. ship Luzon, Park, Nov. 24, from New York for Batavia. 9, Ned. bark Melsti, Bos, Nov. 22, from Rotter-

dam for Bataria. 10, Ned. str. Gelderland, Sprang van Lee, March 10, from Batavia for Rotterdam. 11, British str. Jumus, Burkitt, March 10 from Batavia for London 11, Amr. bark Annie Reed, Warren, Feb. 20, from Amov for New York. Il, British bark Otago, Kirzinowski, March 2,

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Techno-Chomical Receipt Book. Marine Engineer's Almanack, 1888. A Tale of Three Lions, by Rider Haggard. Lady Grace by Mrs. Henry Wood. The Bride of the Nile by George Ebers. Burton's Practical Guide to Photographic advantageous terms. and Photo Mechanical Printing Processes. The Portfolio Volume 1887. Almanack de Gotha, 1888.

Reard and Rockwell's Medical and Surgical . Uses of Electricity. The Dragon, Image and Demon, or the Three Religious of China-Confucianism, Budhism, and Taoism, by Rev. H. C. Dn Bose. Haydn's Dictionary of Dates.

Hef-Kalendar, 1888.

New Japanese Illustrated Story Books. La Terro par Emile Zola. Pecheur D'Irlande par Pierre Loti. L'Ami MacDonald par Max O'Rell. Le Service de la Sureté par G. Mace. Affaire Clémeuceau par Alex. Damas fils. Le Pompon Vert par Gustave Tondouze. Les Séductours par "Gyp." Fierre et Jean par Guy de Maupassant, 'An Pays du Rire par Armand Silvestre. Trente Aus de Paris par Alphouse Daudet

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careful attention. All Accounts against the Firm should be sent in on or before the 3rd April next, and all EXTENSION DINING TABLE WHAT. outstanding Accounts due to the firm, settled by NOTS, SIDEBOARD, CHAIRS, CUT.

LERY, CROCKERY, GLASS & PLATED WARE. IRON BEDSTEADS, WARDROBES, KUHN & Co. Opposite the Hongkong Hotel. Hongkong, 19th March, 1888. MARBLE TOP WASHING STANDS. WARDROBES, DRESSING-TABLES, - HONGKONG ATHLETIC SPORTS CATALOGUES will be issued previous to the - TO BR HELD ON

> SATURDAY, THE 7TH APRIL. The following is the LIST of EVENTS, viz. : 1-100 yords Flat Race, 2 prizes. 2—Patting the Shot, 1 prize. 3-120 yards Handicap, 2 prizes. 4-High Jump, 1 prize. 5-Quarter Mile Flat Rsce, 2 prizes. 6-One Mile Walking Race, 1 prize. 7-Throwing Cricket Ball, 1 prize.

THE CRICKET GROUND,

8-Pole Jumping. 9-Soldiers Half Mile Race, 3 priges. 10-Half Mile Race (Handicap), 2 prizes. 11-120 yards Hurdle Race, 2 prizes. 12-Boys Race, 200 yards (Handiesp) for Boys under 15, open to European Schools

13-Veterans Flat Race, 120 yards (Handicap)

residence in India, China or the Tropics, 14-Long Jump, 1 prize. 15-Three-Legged Rece, 1 prize. 16-Small Girls Race (Handicap), under 7 years.

17-220 yards Elat Race (Handicap), 2 prizes 18 One Mile Flat Race, 2 prizes. 19-Consolation Raco, 1 prize. 20-International Tug-of-War, 1 prize,

With the exception of Events Nos. 9, 12, and 6, the above are Open to all GENTLEMEN Hongkong Club, Club Germania, Ladies', Re- before Noon, TO-DAY, the 21st instant. creation Club, Hongkong Cricket Club, Victoria Recreation Club, and also to Commissioned have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining MILITARY-RING NAVAL OFFICERS, sond in their ENTRIPORS are requested to to rent.

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SATURDAY, the 31st Instant, on which date ENTRIES Close. CHAS. H. THOMPSON,

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 19th, March, 1888.

NTOTICE is hereby given that if the sums been posted up in the Supreme Court and published in the Government Gasette of the 17th March, 1883, are not claimed within six months, from the date hereof, they will be paid over to and after the 21st instant, the General Revenue of the Colony.

The sums mentioned in Schedule C to the said Ordinance, a copy of which has been posted and published, will also be paid over to the Treasury if not claimed within one year from the said date.

E. J. ACKROYD, Registrar. legistry Supreme Court,

Houghong, 17th March, 1888.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the sums hereinafter mentioned are not claimed within one year from this date, they will be transferred to the General Revenue of this 330 Coleny. E. J. ACKROYD,

> Registrar. Supreme Court. Hongkong, 17th March, 1888.

IN THE MATTER OF THE TRUST ESTATE OF DENT & Co. -Balance due to Alexander Cowie. Master of the ship or vessel Aurora,\$5,879.65 -Balanceducto Henry Mann, Master

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Amount to credit of this account ..... \$2,281.57 179 HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

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OF BUSINESS CONTRIBUTED during the Half. 20th instant, at 8.30 for 9 P.M., precisely. Year ended 31st December, 1887, on or before Visiting Brethern are cordially invited. the 31st instant, on which date the Accounts 2291 will be closed. By Order of the Board of Directors,

Secretary. Hongkong, 16th March, 1888. holders or to their Legal Representatives or HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

> SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's Foremen should be at hand, orders for repairs if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central will receive prompt attention. In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

> Hongkong, 6th August, 1885. THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkeng and China by Messra. J. & R. TEN-NENT, Glasgow, and Mesars. DAVID CORSAR & Bons, Arbroath. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, January, 1867. TOSEPH GILLOTT'S

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notice to the contrary-be given before 4 P.M. TO-DAY, the 22nd instant. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods Messrs. KUHN & Co., in thanking the lave left the Godowns, and all Goods romaining. residents of Hongkong, Canton, and Macao for lafter the 29th instant, will be subject to rent, owing to the opening of a Branch. House in the 2nd proxime, or they will not be recognized. A representative of this Office will attend at the PETS, and HEARTH RUGS. Godowns at 11 A.M. on the 3rd proximo to Toakwood EXTENSION DINING TAexamine damaged packages

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 22nd March, 1888.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship "OLYMPIA" Captain P. Moller, having arrived from the above

quested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from MONIUM STOP, nearly new. Any Cargo impeding her dischurge will be landed into the Godowns of the Kowloon

and Godown Co. and stored at Consigneed and expense No Claims will be admitted after the Good have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 29th inst., will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 29th Instant, at 4 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, 22nd March, 1888, NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "PREUSSEN." FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF THE above named steamer having arrived, that their Goods, with the exception of Opium,

Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and "GANGES," Captain E. Stewart, with stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched Hongkong and Kowloon' Wharf and Godown from this for LONDON via ROMBAY and Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery SUEZ CANAL, on WEDNESDAY, the 28th Optional cargo will be lauded here in Hong. advertised). AMATEURS, who are Members or Visitors of the kong unless notice to the contrary be given No Claims will be admitted after the Goods until 2 P.M., on the day protious assiling.

undelivered after the 28th March, will be subject transhipped at Colombo. A Target Cargo to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 21st March, 1888.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. MONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer mentioned in Schedules A and B of are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis-Ordinance No. 11 of 1888, copies of which have charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on

> Goods undelivered after the 28th instant. wil be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Agents. Hongkong, 20th March, 1888.

GLER" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

FIRE Company's Steemship "GLENOGLE." having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of cargo by her and by the S. S. Groces & Denmark, from New York are hereby informed that their goods, with the exception of Opium of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and

Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence at Noon. delivery may be obtained. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice the centrary be given before Noon TO-Cargo remaining undelivered after the 31st instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, 24th March, 1888.

EOTHEN MARK LODGE OF HONGKONG.

REGULAR MEETING of the above A LODGE will be held in FREEMASONE

Hongkong, 21st March, 1888. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ANTED.-A FIRST CLASS ENGLISH CORRESPONDENT & OPERA-TOR on Type WRITER DESIRES A POSITION Address

Care of Daily Press. Hougkong, 27th March, 1888. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "GLAMORGANSHIRE," FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LON-DON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. 10NSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed Opium, are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining. after the let proximo, will be subject to rent. All Claims against the steamer must be presented to the undereigned on or before the 1st proxime, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

Hongkong, 26th March, 1888.

PRICE \$21 PER MONTH

COSTOM' HOUSE. Kowkoon, 26th March, 1888.

NOTIFICATION. N FRIDAY NEXT, the 30th instant, being Good FRIDAY, this Office and the Opium Examination Hulk will be CLOSED to the transaction of all Business; but work at the Customs Stations will proceed as usual. F. A. MORGAN

THE Undersigned has received instructions from Major Dayres, to Sell by Public

First Floor of No. 1, Blue Buildings, Wanchai. THE WHOLE OF THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., Comprising;

English-made CRETONNE COVERED All Claims must reach us before 4 P.M. of DRAWING ROOM SUITE, CHIMNEY GLASS, WHATNOT, BRUSSELLS CAR-BLE, SIDEBOARD and DINNER WAG-GONS. CARD TABLE, CROCKERY, GLASS and PLATED WARE. & LAMPS. Double IRON BEDSTEAD BRASS MOUNTED, WARDROBES, English-made 1612 MILITARY PORTABLE CHEST OF DRAWERS, CHEVAL GLASS, VIENNA CHAIRS, English-made TOILET TABLE with GLASS and MARBLE TOP WASH-S LANDS.

THREE RARD OLD PRINTS "HONG. KONG...1846". ONE DUPLEX LAMP, PLATED COR-Ports, Consignoes of Cargo are hereby re- INTHIAN COLLUM in Case, Complete. ONE BROADWOOD GRAND PIANO. ONE CHAPPELL PIANO with HAR-

> CATALOGUES will be issued. TERMS OF SALE .- As Customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Hongkong, 27th March, 1889.

ALTERATION IN DATE OF DEPARTURE. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,

ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, MARSE LES. GIBRALTAR, BRINDIST, VENICE, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON, BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA. N.B.-CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH

BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIRSTS, HAM-BURG, NEW YORK, AND BOSTON.

SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH. Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed FIRE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM. NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship March, at Four P.M., (instead of as previously

> Cargo will be received on board in it. 4 P.M. Parcels and Specie (Goldmat the Office. Tes, Silk and Valuables for Europe will be

Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are rereired to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. Hongkong, 27th March, 1888. FOR SWATOW, SINGAPORE, AND

BANGKOK. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM: SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED THE Company's Steamer. "PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO."

Captain A. Benson, will be despatched for the

above Ports on THURSDAY, the 29th inst., at

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, Hongkong, 27th March, 1888.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAIWANFOO. THE Company's Steamship

are being landed at their risk into the godowns Captain Hunter, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 29th inst., For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

General Managers.

Hongkong, 26th March, 1888. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. THE Steamship Captain T. S. Gardner, will be despatched for -

netant, at Noon. . For Freight or Passage, apply to-DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, 26th March, 1888.

he above Ports on SATURDAY, the 31st

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. ore requested to send in a STATEMENT HALL, Zetland Street, on THURSDAY, the FOR PORT DARWIN, SYDNEY, AND

THE Company's Steamship "TSINAN." Allison. Commander, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 7th April, at The attention of Passengers is directed total superior - Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins are situated forward of the Engines. Second Class-

gerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh [631 Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERKIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refri-

Haugkong, 26th March, 1888. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless are being landed at their risk into the Hongnotice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M. kong and Kowleen Wharf and Godown Company's West Point Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after 1st April,

will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are hereby informed, that all Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 30th instant. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 26th March, 1888.

Gorman. Chinese Northern. SHIPPING Officers of the Coasting Steamers of Siemssen & Co. P. &. O. S. N. Co. Japan M. S. S. Co. H. C. & M. S. B. Co. -Indo-China S. N. Co. Scottish Oriental S. S. Co Miscellaneous Coast Douglas S. S. Co. China Mer. S. N. Co. Steamers. The LIST OF RESIDENTS now contains

Perak.

SQUADRONS-

French.

JAPAN-

Nagasaki

NAVAL

FOREKINERS arranged under one Alphabet in the strictest order, the initials as well as the surnames years ago a very acute character, when Ton-The MAPS and PLANS have been mostly since concluded between the two nations re-engraved in a superior style and brought up to date. They now consist of FLAGS OF MERCANTILE HOUSES IN CHINA. CODE OF SIGNALS IN USE AT VICTORIA PEAR. inspiring neighbour of China, by whom the

MAP OF THE FAR EAST. MAP OF THE ISLAND OF HONGEONG. Phan OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA. PLAN OF MOUNTAIN DISTRICT, VICTORIA. PLAN OF FOREIGN CONCESSIONS, SHANGHAL PLAN OF YOKOHAMA.

PLAN OF MANILA. PLAN OF SAIGON. PLAN OF TOWN AND ENVIRONS OF SINGAPORE. PLAN OF GEORGE TOWN, PENANG. Among the other contents of the book are-An Anglo-Chinese Calendar, Mean of Barometer and Thermometer, Rainfall, &c.

the advent of foreigners to China and Japan. A description of Chinese Festivals, Fasts, &c., with the days on which they fall. Comparative Tables of Money, Weights, &c. Seals of Hongkong Stamp Duties. The Hongkong Postal Guide for 1888. Scales of Commissions and Charges adopted by the Cambers of Commerce of Hongkong, Lang bei Amoy and Nowchwang. Hongkong and Boat Hira

of closely printed matter, to which reference is the design to send a mission to Thibet. It the Organ Fund. constantly required by residents and those is rather remarkable, too, that on the conhaving commercial or political relations with the Countries embraced within the scope of the clusion of the Franco-Chinese war, the Chiness Government should have promptly dis-CHRONICLE and DIRECTORY. The Contents of the Appendix are too numer-

ous to recapitalate in an Advertisement, but nclude-TREATIES WITH CHINA-

Great Britain, Nanking, 1842 Opium Convention, 1886. and all others not abrogated. France, Tientsin, 1858 Convention, 1860 Pientsin, 1885 Trenty of Commerce, 1886.

United States, Tientsin, 1858 Additional, 1869 Peking, 1880. German. Tientsln. 1861 Peking, 1880 Russin, Japan, Spain, Brazil, and Poru. TREATIES WITH JAPAN-Netherlands Great Britain United States

Convention, 1887.

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Subjects in China and Japan, 1865, 1877. 1878, 1891, 1884, 1884, 1886, T886. Rules of H.B.M. Supreme and other Courts in China and Japan Tables of Consular Fees Code of Civil Procedure, Hongkong Table of Hongkong Court Fees Admiralty Rules

Foreign Jurisdiction Act

Orders in Council for Government of H.B.M.

Regulations for the Consular Courts of United States in China Rules of Court of Consuls at Shanghai A Chinese Passenger Act TRADE REGULATIONS

Customs Seizure, China Customs and Harbour Regulations for the dif- perditure of English blood and treasure, Pilotage Regulations Hongkong Charter of the Colony

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ANNUAL SUPPLY OF

LAWN GRASS SEED,

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HONGKONG DISPENSARY

NOTICE TO CURRESPONDENTS.

Advertisoments and Subscriptions which are

TREBTRONE No. 12.

The Daily Press.

Hongkong, March 27th, 1888.

truth in the above statements, but are the

why were they dismissed from the works at

nor affection, but it is questionable whether

left the harbour yesterday for a craise.

Prais Grande.

the China station.

and 1,028 Chinese.

to-day (Tuesday) at 2 p.m. for this port.

Hongkong, 2nd March, 1887.

After hat hour the supply is limited.

countermanica.

.IMMEDIATE . BOWING.

S. WATSON & Co., LIMITE.

leave at 4 p.m. to-morrow (Wednesday). The fore long. Post Office will observe the hours of closing as formerly with the exception that unsorted circulars must be posted by noon.

following is the programme:-"Sweet Memorie" " Dio Eran Meisterin" " Ilonnes Paroles"...... Waldtonfol. Entract ..... La Colombo ......

" Faust "

Selection .... "L'accedio de Arlom".

mandaria.

In their endoavours to apprehend all of those concerned in the recent piracies on the mainland, two privates of the National Battalion laid hands nese, 7 Danish, 3 Swedish and Norwegian, 2 on two Chinese on the 16th instant, against whom French, 2 Simmeso, and one each of American, they had suspicion of their being pirates. In the Belgian, and Dutch. ordered for a fixed period will be continued until house where they were arrested were found two Japanese swords. It turned out, however, that Orders for extra copies of the Duily Press should the two men were members of the Chinese Customs, and were set at liberty at the request of a be nent before Il a.m. on the day of publication.

> Believers in Zadkiel will have their faith trengthened by the prediction that calamity would fall on Germany after the colipse of the moon on the 23th ultimo." ." The death of famous man of the Latin race is also pre-signified. On the 9th inst. the death of the Emperor William throw Germany into distress, and the second prophecy would seem to have been ful filled by the decease of M. Carnot, father of the President of the French Republic.

This complacent remarks made in the last The Macao Correio of the 23rd March says that by last advices one bundred and fifty issue of Kuhlow's Trade haview with re-Maharatfa natives are ready to be despatched to ference to Germany's relations with China Macao to reinforce the Police Corps. They are deserve some passing notice. Our German only awaiting a transport to bring them on. In the opinion of the Correio that ought not to be contemporary said :- "Of all the great the cause of the delay, as' it would be far more nations engaged in trade with China Gereconomical to send them by any of the Indian many has the least opposition to expect from liners via Calcutta and Hongkong, by which the ruling classes. England is regarded in means they would arrive much earlier, since their presence is so urgently needed.

China, in consequence of the former war; Further arrests have been effected at Macad and the late addition of Burmab to her doof persons supposed to belong to the piratical minions, not as a friend, but a powerful band for which the Police are on the qui vive enemy, whose intentions are to be suspected, Two Chinese men and two women (says the Correio) were arrested on the 23rd instant. They and whose every movement in the Orient is were observed by the neighbours to be going in FOURTEEN THOUSAND AND FIVE HUNDRED to be watched. With France differences and out of a house in the Hortz da Mitra in a periodically arise which attained about three | mysterious manner; this roused their suspicions and they lodged information with the Police. It is said that there are palpable truces that these quin was taken possession of, and the peace persons formed part of the band the Police are

cannot be said to rest upon the surest of According to a Tonquin paper, Tourane in bases. Russia is the unpopular and fear-Annam is making great commercial progress. As soon as the neighbouring provinces had been pacified, the constation of the troubles restored Kwok Akin. loss of the Amur district has not been forgotten. The persecutions of the Chinese in different lines of business was soon afoot. Buildings rose on all sides. The value of land increasthe United States have left a very bad imed daily. Not only natives, but also French and pression in Peking. Germany is, therefore, Chinese have briskly turned to building houses. Streets and roads have been laid out in Eurothe only great country with which Chius has pean style. When quays and bonded warehouses bad no quarrel and has none to fear. For embellish it, Tourane will become a town of this reason Germany is regarded with special consequence. Capital roads connect it with Huć, the chief town of Annam. Iron bridges favour in Chinese Government circles." have been freely set up along the route. There may seem at first sight to be some

Mr. Sangster's eighth organ recital will take A full Chronology of remarkable events since deductions sound? Let us see. In the first place in St. John's Cathedral on Thursday evening, the 29th inst., at 9 o'clock. The following place we do not believe that England is re-

garded as an enemy by China. On the Sonata, No. 2 Solo-" Jerusalem, thou that Killest the Prophets contrary the relations between the two (MASTER E. LAMMERT.) countries were never so cordial as they are now. The little Burmah difficulty, never

serious, was most satisfactorily settled-for Recit, and Solo "But thou did at not leave" (Mes-Chins, and the Peking Government have also

The tenth ordinary general meeting of the Straits Insurance Company was held on the 17th rendered homeless, and an immense amount of March in their Offices, D'Almeida Street, Singa- property destroyed. missed all the Germans employed in the pore. The Straits Times says that "there was a A man named Fan, being robbed of a waterthem to do this. The English officers were

Port Arthur, and the contract given to the Fronch Syndicate represented by M. THEvener? Russia is perhaps unpopular at the Chi-hiens of Shih-ping and Kien-shui under ceived 200 blows with the rattan at the first in-Peking, and the United States is regarded him, have jointly reported to the Governor of vestigation he reflies to admit his guilt, and by the Peking Government with neither foar Yunnan as follows :- "From the 2nd day of the the case has had to be adjourned till he is well 12th month of last Chinese year till the 3rd day enough to undergo a closer examination. of this year thore were over ten shocks of earth-German influence in the Chinese capital is quake accompanied with a noise like thunder; at Ta Tao some time back, despite the interas great as Kuhlow imagines. The Chi- the Yamons in the city of Shih-ping and Kien- ference of the Police, has been arrested but shul were either knocked down or split right strennously denies his guilt. He will be closely nese Government have no real liking for down, and the temples likewise; in Shih-ping any Western Power; they regard all Wee- 8 or 9-tenths of the houses in the South falltern States with more or less disfavour, the N.W. about a thousand being cracked or for putting up a notice denouncing gambling. and if they regard Germany with less bent out of the perpendicular, 200 people, men than some of her contemporaries it is and women, old and young, being crushed to bamboo for robbing his master to provide funds death, wounded and injured over 300. At Tung- for his amissment: The editor hopes all gam probably because they fear her less. Ger- hiang over 800 crushed to death, about 700 or blers will meet the same fate. many has never appeared in the position of \$00 wounded. At Nan-higher over 200 dead, over 400 injured. At Si-hiang, over 200 dead, a belligerent to China, but the mandaring are more to her inability to conduct a campaign at places are the suburbs . In the town and the same time. suburbs there were over 4,000 people either such a distance from Europe than from pure ! killed or wounded, eight or nine-tenths of the friendliness. The Chinese officials know houses fallen down, and the rest cracked and well enough that though Germany is a great leaving over. At Kien-shui, in the city, 7 bestirring himself. military nation she possesses no fleet, and 300 to 400 houses overturned, 249 people killed, they could safely defy her to-morrow if so 150 or 160 wounded."

disposed. Indeed it is a fact that requires The Straits Times having; in the course of no demonstration that but for the free exnotice of the return of Mr. Errington de le Croix to Singapore, made the following stateferent ports of Chins, Philippines, Siam, &c. there would not at the present moment be a though his company was the first one in the German in China. Perhaps it might be as Native States, yet it is the only one of the many well for our smart little German contempor- European companies that has survived the shipwreek "-the managers of the Sandhurst Tin ary to consider that item of history. Our Mining Co., the Melbourne Tin Mining Co., and Teutonic consinudes erveall possible credit for the Larut Tin Mining Co. address the subjoined priests to exercise the demons, and all is now wealthy man has offered \$50,000 to educate the sis, Bright's disease, or slow consumption. The the G.O. H. and we settled down to live five or the combined energy, industry, and commercial refutation of it to the editor :- " Now this state quiet. ment -so far as the State of Perak is concerned ability which have enabled them to so materially improve their foreign trade, and Government and to the English companies. happily, is rescued before further harm is done. Kuhlow does well to rejoice over it; but its of Larat three English companies, viz., The There are at present working in the District exultation over the imaginary ascendency of Melbourne Tin Mining Company and The Sandhurst Tin Mining Company, both with shop burnt, German influence in China is, we suspect, a head quarters in Australia; and The Larut little premature if not altogether mistaken. Tin Mining Company, with head quarters in England. During last year the Melbourne The French gunboat Aspic, Captain Malapert. Company divided several thousand pounds among its shareholders, and during same period the Sandhurst Company made a Intending riders at the Holy City should take fair profit over and above working expenses. warning from the fact that a Chinaman was the The Lerut Company is quite a recent venture. other day arrested for going at full gallop on the but promises to be soon gelf-supporting. These three companies, together, employ 2,000 men, and during the past twelve months turned out 11,000 It is said, says the Correio, that the Portuguese piculs of tin ore. The French company in Kinta, gunbeat Zaire, new at Mozambique, will shortly under the management of Mr. Arthur Taylor, a proceed to Goa, and from there to Macao for Cornishman, has done well during the past year; still, as will be seen from the above, it is not " the The return of the Curator shows the number these four companies have certainly had bad only one that has survived the shipwrock," All of visitors to the City Hall Museum during times in the beginning, but they have successful the week ended 25th March as 184 Europeans ly overcome their difficulties, and have all of them very fair prospects in the future. Besides papers. the above four mentioned companies, there have The Agent informs us that the Messageries Maritimes steamer Mclbourne, with the next been only two other European companies in the Lord Wolseley is very decided on the value of outward French mail on board, will leave Saigon

The Imperial Russian corvette Regests, Cap. Says the N. C. Daily News -The Resident SHANGHAI SPRING RACE MEETING. tain Osteletsky, arrived in Singapore on the in Thibet is re-called by the Chinese 17th inst from Colombo, ca resite for Vladivostock. Government and the Resident in Ili takes This yessel is probably an addition to the his place, and the arrangement of the Sikkim difficulty is placed in the hands of the Vice-Resident at Lhassa. Probably China has been The Commissioner of Customs announces in quickened into action in this uniter by the another column that the Custom House at Kow- knowledge that the Indian Government is sendloon and the opium examination hulk will be ing an expedition to bring the Rejah of Sikkim closed for the transaction of business on Good to reason. Peking should have done this some Friday, but work at the Customs stations will time ago, but, "better late than never," and we hope the result will be the astablishment of commercial relations with Thibet. The prospect of We are requested to state that the Post Office | the opening of the West River is highly satishave received mattee that the English mail will factory, and we trust it will be accomplished be-

In their market report dated the 21st February, Mosses. Bandinel & Co., of Newchwang, state that in regard to imports, mutches, piece-The Band of the Northamptonshire Regiment | goods, and keresine oil will most likely be out will play at the Officers' Mess; Murray Barracks, stock in another month, and first arrivals should this evening, commencing at 8 o'clook. The realise good prices. Sugar and iron are dull. In regard to exports the report says that large stocks of beans have accumulated during the winter. Prices are moderate and we look for a good shipping sesson. It is probable that the river will open on the 25th March. The total number of vessels entered and cleared last, your was 302, of these 208 were stramors and 94 suilingsvessels, making a total tonnage of 208,904. Of these 174 were British, 91 German, 20 Chi-

BURPLIED TO THE, "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 24th March THE OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE BOAT BACE.

Cambridge won the University Boat Race

Last year the light blue won by two lengths. Cambridge has now scored 21 wins as against 23 by Oxford.-ED. D. P.]

> POLICE COURT. 26th Merch.

BEFORE Mr. A. G. WISE. HANDBAG SNATCHING.

Ching Asam was charged with stealing leather bag, value St, on the 24th instant. John Sutherland, sugar boiler, said the bag in court was the property of his wife. On the 24th instant, about 8.30 p.m., he was walking slong the Praya with his wife, who was carrying the bag. when prisoner snatched it from her hand and made off. Witness gave chase and succeeded in capturing the prisoner.

Prisoner was sentenced to six months' impri sonment with hard labour.

THEFT OF CLOTHING. Cheng Aping, was convicted of stealing two cotton jackets, the property of Han Asing, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard

LARCENY OF BANK NOTES. Pun Ayuk was charged with stealing two bank notes, of the value of \$15, the property of

confidence among the people. Enterprise in Complainant, a married woman, said that or the 24th inst., about 3 p.m., she was in Hing Loung street, paying a bill. She took out two bank notes, one a ten-dollar one, and the other a five-dollar one, when defendant snatched the notes from her hand and ran away. She followed him and gave him in charge. Prisoner, who admitted the charge, was sen

tenced to six months' imprisonment with hard STEALING PLOWERS IN THE PUBLIC GARDENS.

Two Chinese school boys were each fined \$1 for stealing flowers in the Public Gardens.

> SUMMARY OF THE "KWANG-PAO." 24th March.

Colleges established at Peking, Canton, Shang A collection will be made at the close in aid of office in foreign languages and science. Highly landatory of the institution.

Notice of the great fire at Amoy: 150 families

large attendance of directors and shareholders. buffelo by three thieves who get into his house Navy and filled their places sgain with Mr. Smith asked a number of questions of the by the roof, gives chase with a number of Englishmen. There was no obligation on President. The meeting was much stormier his clausmen, who catch up the thioves near the than usual. Mr. Smith dissented from the house of a man named Ho, but the Ho family report and accounts being passed, and did not coming to their assistance, the Fans are driven Chefoo, with Addition Article recalled on the breaking out of hostilities, express himself as satisfied with some of the re- back, and the owner of the buffalo killand China need not, except of her own choice, plies of the President. An interim bonus of 5 cd. They lodge a complaint, but at the have re-engaged Englismon. Then again per cent on contributions of business for the inquest it appeared that the man was strangled year 1887 was declared. Messrs. Thomson and an unlikely thing in a fight, and the case is ad with regard to France. If the Chinese offi- Wee Doon Tek were re-elected Directors, and journed until a number of the Ho family can be cials are really so favourable to Gormans Messrs. Lyall and Gentle, Auditors, for the pre- brought before the Magistrate; when it is hoped the trath will be ascertained.

· An officer of the native Customs and his ac Some further details of the recent disastrons complices detected in amuggling and various earthquake in Yunnan and Szechuen are given malpractices. He has been sent by the Hoppo to in the Shen pao. The Prefect of Linan, with the Pun-yu Magistrate, but although he re-One of the thieves who robbed the ovster-beds

A gentleman, named Wang, living in Honam attacked by a gambler, named Liu, and wounded A gambler given 100 blows with the heavy

A boatman giring an entertainment in honor of his birthday, the wife of his greatgrandson over 500 injured. At Peli-hing about 100 gives birth to three boys during the rejoicings, acute enough to believe that the fact is due killed, same number injured. [The above four making five generations in one family alive at

> Six robbers arrested who had plundered a mad in the Taiho village while he was smoking opium. The Pun-yu Magistrate appears to be

> A passage boat being attacked by pirates at Hokow a stern-wheeler comes to the rescue and is robbed too. Happily in their hurry the rob-

A lady coming from the theatre at Macao is is incorrect and unfair, both to the Perak carried off by her jinrichsha man and robbed, but, happily, is rescued before further harm is done. memorial window, an American paper says — ground covered with snew. He complained of in a cont pocket;" his feelings must have been hunger, and his wife prepared some food, which much the same as mine when I mounted the some joss pidgin there.

> cheated out of her money by a diviner. be and others having got into a boat they found greatest poets, and this petty poetaster and long, shargy hair covers his head and face. there, and starting on a voyage of discovery on scribbler schemes to convert the occasion into a The physicians now have him in hand again, and their own account; happily one of his comspeculation, and for this purpose works in a think that with proper care his health may be
> panious pulled him out.
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> secret and underhand manner to keep the public fully restored.

Extracts from Peking Gasettes. 400 catties sulphur reported.—The Military despised Philistines. Commission sent to Hainan to open out a road | Secretary Boyer, of the National Board of with the aid of guncotton have returned .- The Steam Navigation, describes a peculiar condition in the Sait Department on the Sist inst.

The following is the programme:-

James Hart; value, Tis. 100; for China ponies : weight for inches as per scale-; outrance, Tis. 5. Half-a-mile. The CRITERION STAKES: a Sweepstakes of Tls. 10 each, with Tls. 100 added; for China

ponies; weight for inches as per scale; second pony to save his stake. One mile. The GRIFFINS' PLATE; value, Tls. 250, for

inches as per scale; entrance, Tis 5. Threequarters-of-a-mile. Tla. 5. One mile and a half. The JOCKEY CUP, value, Tls. 100; for China

ponies that have never won a race; to be ridden by Jookeys who have never had a winning mount before this meeting; weight for inches as per scale; entrance, Tls. 5. Once round. The KIANG-SU PLATE, value, TIs. 150; for China ponies; weight for inches as per scale; entrance. Tls. 5. One mile and three-quarters. The RACING STAKES, a Sweepstakes of Tls. 10

each, for China ponies that have never run before 1st January, 1888; griffins at date of The ROADSTERS PLATE, value Tis. 100: China ponies (without restriction to heigh not otherwise entered at this meeting and

have never won a race; weight, 10sh Fillis.

entrance, Tls. 5. Once round

SECOND DAY, 2nd May. " The CHU-KA-ZA Cup, value, Tls. 100 : for China

The Shanehal Derby, a Sweepstakes of Tls. would sail on Thursday afternoon, making vent the drain of gold through China trade by 15 each, with Tls. 100 added; for China ponies the trip from San Francisco to Auckland in outting off all commercial intercourse with China being bond fide griffing at date of outry; first eighteen days. We could thus deliver the mails (for that is what the bill amounts to), and when pony to receive 75 per cent ; second pony, 15 between London and New Zealand in twenty. they propose to preserve the placer mining staninches as per scale. One mile and a half. The LADIES' PURSE; value,-; for Chiua ponies

weight for inches as per scale; entrance, Tls 5. One mile and a quarter. The RACE CLUB CUP, value, Tis. 159; for China ponies; weight for inobes as per scale; winners at this meeting of a race of one mile or under, to carry 3lbs. extra; over a mile, 71bs. extra; penalties accumulative up to

Iobs. ; entrance, Tis. 5. Two miles. Dorby, 71bs. extra. One mile and a half.

under. One mile. The SHANGHAY STAKES, a forced entry of Tls.

One mile and a half. The TAOTAI'S CUP, value, Tls. --- ; presented by

H. E. the Taotai; for China ponies; weight 12st; winners at this meeting 5lbs extra; entrance. Tls. 5: One mile.

THIED DAY, 3rd May.

China ponios, bond flde griffins at date of entry, that have run and not won a race: 5. One mile and a quarter.

The CHAU-SHANG-RIUE CUP, value. Tls. -; presented by the directors and employes of the C. M. S. N. Co.; for China ponies that have never run at any meeting in China or Hongkong previous todate of entry at each meeting ; three times in all, by ponies, the bona fide proparty of the same owner or owners; weight for inches as per scale; entrance, Tls., 10: 80 por cent. of the entrance fees to go to the winner until the Cup is won, when the second pony shall receive same; the remaining 20 per cent, to be allowed to accumulate, and the accumulation in excess of Tls. 500 (to be retained for a new Cup) is to be paid to the winner.

The YANGTSEE STAKES, value, Tls. 100; for to satisfy her American proclivities. winner of a race of two miles or over, 5lbs. entrance. Tls. 5. Once round.

for and open only to winners at this meeting: Tls. 40 extra. One-mile-and a quarter.

Tls. 150; for China ponics; weight for inches as per scale; winners of a Steeplechase at any previous meeting in Shanghai, 51hs. extra non-winners of a Steeplechase allowed 51bs; entrance, Tla. 5. Twice round a course se lected by the Stewards.

ITEMS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL.

Fire at Fatshan. A paper shop and barber's of Matthew Arnold would have been guilty of clothing, and going to the wood pile, commenced friendly rough British tar's hand stretched out so small and contemptible a trick for the sake of phonoing good what was the A woman tries to commit suicide, being making a few dollars or a few pounds. A well- trouble, he replied, as though not understanding known and public-spirited American gentleman the cause of the question, that he was going to with a certain amount of suspicion. There was A boy nearly drowned in a canal in the City. seeks to honour the memory of one of England's do his work. He is wasted almost to a skeleton, away from the memorial services. If this is the Daily Gazette.-The Vicercy paid a visit of practical result of the teachings of the gospel of condolence to the Tartar General, whose lady sweetness and light, men of honour and nobility THE CHINESE VIEW OF THE CHI died on Thursday. On his return a seizure of of character will chose to be ranked with the

Governor also visited the Tartar General of affairs in New York Harbour resulting from

the general welfare of the people, and also to same question. befuile and take testimony as to the practical "The new bill goes by the name of its introesults of liconcound prohibitory legislation for ducar, Senator Mitchell, and proposes to pro-

States of the Union. concerning various matters connected with oil immigration of Chinese subjects. It is urged in production in Pennsylvania, and some are very support of the bill that the present law against China ponies that have never run at any interesting. For instance, he states that it has the Chinese is not only inadequate, but pracmeeting; second pony. Tis. 50; weight for cost \$50,000,000 to pay storage and carrying tically a dead letter, because of the venslity of charges on stocks since 1881, and \$70,000,000 certain Custom house officials and the fraudulent have been lost by oil speculators on fluctuations sale of raturn certificates. Now, if this means The CATHAY CUP, value. The 150; for China of the market during the same period. One anything, it means that since the efficients in San ponies; weight for inches as per scale; griffins broker said his oustomers alone lost \$3,000,000 Francisco are raining after the golden calf, any at the date of ontry allowed 71bs; entrance; in 1882 and \$1,000,000 in 1884. It has taken law, however sweeping, would be nullified by about \$21,500,000 to pay brokers' commissions their actions. It also indicates, whatever labbur since 1881, making a total of \$147,500,000, which agitators say to the contrary, that Chinese loss has been carried by speculators in seven labour is in great demand on the Pacific coast. years. On the other hand, he said that a few and that the supply will be kept up so long as whe have engaged in producing oil have failed the demand remains unsatisfied to win handsomely. Since 1859 there have been: "But since adjustment of supply and demand drilled about fifty-seven thousand wells at a total results from the interplay of economic forces cost of \$2,000,000. These wells have produced which it is as vain to battle against as the 350,000,000 barrels of oil, which have been cyclone, we see that Senator Mitchell and his sold for \$575,000,000, leaving a net profit of sympathizers have a herculean task before them.

entry allowed 5 lbs.; weight for inches as per New Zealand Government, drew attention to two geonomic forces equally potent as supply scale; winners 5lbs extra. One mile and a the fact that the fast trains across the continent and demand—vis.: first, the tendency on the rendered it possible to run the mails from San part of the precious metals to distribute them-Francisco to New York in much better time selves evenly all over the globe with the growth than has hitherto been believed possible. "We of commerce; and, second, the tendancy of the propose," said. Mr. Spreckels to a reporter, part of wages in similar employments to come-"to induce the New Zealand Government to down to the same level with the increase in the transfer its contract with the steamers of the facilities of transportation. When legislators Red\_Star Line to the Canard Company, which sttempt to keep the precious metals in this counruns better steamers and makes faster time. The try and have the balance of trade in their favoting Saturday, reaching New York on Saturday -1. When labour organizations strive to maintain ponies; weight for inches us per scale; winners afternoon or Sanday morning, thence taking an abnormally high standard of wages, they are of one race since 1st October, 1837, 7lbs. extra : the overland express and making the trip to butting their heads against coonsmic force No. 2. two or more races, 10lbs. extra; entrane, Tls. San Francisco in five days at the most. Reach. "It becomes evident, therefore, that when

ment on the present run." At the Academy of Sciences, Columbia College, New York, Professor D. S. Martin read a paper | more than they can chew. on the geology of New York and its environs. After showing in outline the formation of gneiss but is not willing to give anything in roturn. It with the forms of rock on Manhattan Island, he wants Chinese labour, but would not yield it traced the rock in its course to the north, and in protection; want ten and silk, but hagrudges course the trap-rock on the New Jersey shore. gold and silver which the Chinese ask for pay-Both show a trace of corrosion from the glacial ment; wants China to admit merchants, traperiod. Previous to that period, the lecturer vellers and labourers, but refuses to reciprocate. The Concondia Cop, value, This. -; pre- continued, this island was a long, rocky promon. What will be the consequences? The Chinese sented by Members of the Club Concordia, tory, stretching down to a plain decupied by the Government will be compalled to adopt readded to a Sweepstakes of Tis. 10 each; second present site on New York Bay: The rocks on taliatory measures. If so, it will be a matter pony to receive 10 per cent, and the third the islands are higher than the Palisades now for universal regret, for it would mean retropour, 10 per cent, of the stakes; for China are, and the Palisades rose to a height of 7.0 gression. No one would rejoice any more than ponies, bond fide griffins at date of entry: feet. A river flowing from the centre of New England, long since jealous of the growth of weight for inches as per scale; winner of the England passed through the bed of East river and united the bay with the Rudson, which flows Orient. None would regret it more than China, The Spring Cup, value, Tis. 10, added to a into the ocean nearly one hundred miles further for her feelings toward the "Flowery flow coun-Sweepstakes of Tls. 10 each, less Tls. 50 to the south. The corresion and drift of the glacial try " are those of friendliness, unalloyed by fear second pony; for China ponies, that have period has changed the landscape and the sinking of aggression, and of respect, because the United never won a race; weight, 11st. for 13 hands; of the plain has made the harbour of New York. States has not stained its hands in the opium to give or take 6lbs. for every inch over or The subsidence still continues, and along the trade. New Jersey shore the sea is steadily climbing ." We are all agreed that a course must be weak

Roadsters' Plate; first pony to receive 75 per Thus, the motropolis of the western world may diary speeches and violent donniciations to gain 10 per cent, weight for inches as per scale. rest once more from its fever beneath the waters sand lot is as weak as Lazarus just after returns The LAH-DE-DAR CUP, value, The 200; present- He believes in newspapers and gets himself no- the size of the Chine e population of this country ed; added to a Sweepstakes of Tls. 10 each; ticed as a "goody, good. Chinaman" occasionally more than three times, for, according to the second pony to receive 30 per cent, and the These who know him best, however, claim that census of 1880, there were 104,000 Chinese in all third pony 10 per cent., of the stakes; be is as intense in his Mongolianism as any the States and Territories. Since 1850 there for China ponies; weight for inches as per Chinaman in China, and that his habits and ideas must have been as many departures and deaths soale; griffins at date of entry allowed 71bs.; are strong proof that a Chinaman never changes, as arrivals; if not, it would be because the The GREAT NORTHERN PLATE; value, Tls. 100; is altogether of a different style. She was born ing stones in the cause of Christian civilization. for ponies that have run at this meeting; in Grass Valley, and proudly insists that she is a A few wicked Chinamon, with the aid of American at this meeting under a mile. 7 by the Supreme Count of the United States of the Supreme Count of t two such races, 10lbs. extra; entracee, Tls. 5. which declares that all, of every colour, born way the whole Chinese population is charged

an adopt scholar, reads and writes well, plays deseption and fraud were just numerits of common nicely on the piano, and paints handsomely. Re- employment. If the Chinese are so wicked, cently her father took her to China and en- usk why are so many thousands of them emdeavoured to have her feet "squeezed" China played by the best California families as house fashion. The young lady fought against this servants and by culightened manufacturers in barbarity and triumphed. She attended the various factories? Why do they prefer the Chinese school for a while, and fairly "broke up" Chinese to others? Are those unployers fools to be won at two consecutive meetings, or the teacher with her American independence. to expose themselves, their families, and the Last Sunday Tin Luy insisted that his daughter consumers of their goods to such a great should adopt the Chinese mode of dress and wor- danger! Are they not afraid of being cheated ship, at least for their New Year festival. Being or even poisoned or thinted by the immeral and coorced into this barbarity, the young lady leprous Asiatics? Surely here is a kind of locked herself in her room and refuses to be seen infatuation which juspices insanity unknown to autil her father revokes his order. She boldly observe their own customs and obey their own denounces the China gods as mere home-made laws, is it not because the Californians, have not

China ponies; weight for inches as per scale; Henry Harms, a farmer near Utica, Winona not better for thom to be amenable to some county, has awakened from a seven-years' sleep. control than to be entirely lawless? extra; entrance, Tia 5. Two miles and a half. His case has been considered by physicians one "It is notorious that neither the municipality The CONSOLATION CUP, value, Tls. 100; for of the most marvellons on record. He came with of San Francisco nor the State of California has ponies that have run at this meeting and not his wife and one child from Gormany and settled ever undertaken to govern the Chinese. For the won a race; weight for inches as per scale; in St. Clair county, Ill., ten years ago. A year later, last thirty years they have devised means only The CHAMPION SWEEPSTARES, a forced entry | doctor removed to Minnesota. . He seemed to re- them disgorge the last hard-earned dollar. It is optional for the winners of the Consolation | weighed about 180 pounds. He was taken with not yet been written, though, to be sure, it would Cup and the Roadsters' Plate, not exceeding an ague in the fall of that year and has been al. hardly be creditable or reliable, for it would have 14 hands 3 inches in height; weight for inches most continually since then in a comatose con- to be written in blood | but if it had been, what as per scale; entrance, Tls. 10; winners of two dition. For three years he would awake long terrible stories of wrongs, injustice, and oppres-Races, Tls. 15 extra; for more than two Races | enough at midnight to eat food, but immediately | sion it could tell." after became wholly insensible. He was treated The GRAND NATIONAL STEEPLECHASE; value, by the physicians at the Rochester insane Asylum, but they could accomplish nothing, AN ENGLISH LADY'S EXPERIENCE and he was returned to his home. Electric shocks had no effect upon him. Oceasionally he would, partially wake up and muttor something about his not feeling like getting up,

and then be would again become stupid. He would be as motionless as a corpse, and the cononly thing that was certain was that medical six days with the Spaniards Commenting on Matthew Arnold's action in skill was baffled. When Harms awoke he went connection with the nuvailing of the Milton to the door and was greatly surprised to see the

> NESE QUESTION IN THE UNITED STATES. ---

WASHINGTON, 19th February. Yan Phou Lee, a Chinese graduate of Yale Various small appointments gazetted .- The salt a political quarrel. The city has been without a College and now a resident of New Haven, has Commissioner-will inspect the officials employed Harbour Master four years, and vessels anchor written a reply, which appeared in the Capital wherever masters elect, and Boyer says it has of this city to day, to Senator Mitchell's speech Extracts from Hongkong and Shanghai really grown to be a question of nautical black on the Chinese total exclusion bill, which he inmail. A short time ago the Captain of a bark | troduced in the Senate some time ago. Although anchored his vessal directly in front of the ferry- it is weak, it is interesting, as it shows how little ship on North river. The ferry people had to a patriotic Chinaman can say in defence of the and plenty of fruits. State of Perak, viz., one in Larut and one in dress uniforms. The soldier is a peculiar animal," agree to tow his vessel around to his destination immigration of his people. The following are Kinta, and these certainly came to grief, owing he says, "who can along be brought to the highest on East river before he would allow it to be extracts from the reply to Mitchell's speech waiting for me, ready of course to pick this can along the says, "who can along be brought to the highest on East river before he would allow it to be extracts from the reply to Mitchell's speech waiting for me, ready of course to pick this to want of patience and perseverance, as well as officiency by inducing him to believe that he be-Last night another rather severe thunderstorm through ignorance of the peculiar system on longs to a regiment infinitely superior to others. Jersey City and Heboken Ferry Companies have been brough ignorance of the peculiar system on longs to a regiment infinitely superior to others. passed over the colony. It commenced about which the mining is carried on in this country, should be a regiment infinitely superior to others person to others a regiment infinitely superior to others person to other the colony. It commenced about which the mining is carried on in this country, should be a regiment infinitely superior to others person to other the colony. It commenced about which the mining is carried on in this country, should be a regiment infinitely superior to others person to other the superior to others person to other the colony. It commenced about which the mining is carried on in this country, should be a regiment infinitely superior to others person to other the colony. It commenced about which the mining is carried on in this country, should be a regiment infinitely superior to others person to other the colony. It commenced about which the mining is carried on in this country, should be a regiment to other this spirit a tug-boat constantly superior to other this spirit as tug-boat constantly superior t half-past six, being then distant, and did not The Kints company parted with its land at the break over the town until about eight o'clock, very time when the shareholders should have some peculiarity in drawn." Again he says: "The lines. when the lightning became very vivid and the stuck to it. The Chinese who acquired it, and better you dress a soldier the pare highly he will the stuck to it. The Chinese who acquired it, and better you dress a soldier the pare highly he will the stuck to it. The Chinese who acquired it, and better you dress a soldier the pare highly he will be the stuck to it. The Chinese who acquired it, and better you dress a soldier the pare highly he will be the stuck to it. The Chinese who acquired it, and better you dress a soldier the pare highly he will be the stuck to it. thunder loud. Heavy rain accompanied the who are now working, having proved it to be be thought of by wemen and consequently by a unanimous vote, has instructed Senator of the law, and murder and massacre perpetrated know what I could do, and as men say, "put who are now working, having proved it to be be thought of by wemen and consequently by by a unanimous vote, has instructed Senator of the law, and murder and massacre perpetrated know what I could do, and as men say, "put who are now working, having proved it to be be thought of by wemen and consequently by Wilson of Lows to report favourably a bill pro- upon helpless and unprotected people; but never me through my facings." I was then asked with the pro- upon helpless and unprotected people; but never me through my facings." I was then asked with the pro- upon helpless and unprotected people; but never me through my facings."

viding for the appointment of a commission of theless, and in spite of the fact that a discriminfive persons, all of whom shall not be advocates ating law is already in force against Chipese of total abstinence, to investigate the elcoholic immigration, the lawmakers at Washington are liquor traffic, its relations to revenue and taxation, now trying to move heaven and earth to induce and its general economy, and criminal and moral Congress to pass one still more stringent; more The HART LEGACY CUP; producted by the late and scientific aspects, in connection with paul unjust and having less regard for treaty rights perism, oriminal social vica, public health, and than all provious measures dealing with the

the prevention of intemperance in the several libit the entrance of any Chinese whatsdever, except consular and diplomatic agents, and to An authority on the subject makes estimates annul all treaties with China which bear on the ?

They are, I believe, doing something still more J. D. Spreekels of the Oceanie Steamship rash and ridiculous than Don Quixote's charge Company in a recent communication to the ing the windwill when they attempt to oppose Australiam mails would then leave London on they are contending against economic force No.

ing here on Thursday morning, our steamer Senator Mitghell and others undertake to preper cent.; third pony. 10 per cent; weight for | nine or thirty days, and to Australia in thirty- dard of wages on the Pacific coast by prohibitthree or thirty-four days, a very great improve- ing Chinese immigration, they have made a biggor contract than they can carry out. Or to use an elegant Western phrase, 'They've bit off

" Now this country wants overything for itself, American influence and American brade in the

upon the cliffs. In 10) years the advance has indeed when its advances have to resort to misbeen perceptible, and in 1,000 if will be more so. representations and unfounded charges, inconbe seen approaching a period when it will find their end. Then it follows that the cause of the The Nevada City Transcript of February 14th Chinese are menacing the monponts of this says :- In Grass Valley the Chinese New Year | country as the locusts occupied Egypt, but fails week is being celebrated with lots of firecrackers, to give the ovidence for that broad statement. bombs, and festivities. Tin Loy, the boss China- Ho estimated the number of Chinese in the man there, has charge of the celebration, and United States at from 250,000 to 300,000. That is raskes things in fine shape. Tin Loy talks to say that after forty years of immigration even English fairly and is supposed to be wealthy. a Chinese hater does not venture to exaggerate But his fourteen-year-old daughter, Miss Lily, boodlums of San Francisco have left, off throwin the United States, are native-born citi- with the immoral trade, although the Chinese The MANCHU STARES, value, Tis. 100; for zons. Miss Lily has shown her Americanism morchants and their consular representatives many ways. She dresses like American were the most eager to prevent the landing. ladies, consorts with American girls, talks Eng- "The Senator says that with the Chinese weight for inches as per scale; entrance, Tls. lish only, and goes to the public school. She is perjury was a crowning virtue, while hypocrisy,

by any one. It is said that she will remain there | dectors. If, as Senator Mitchell charges, they devils. Tin Loy is very proud of his girl, and taught them any different, nor opened any supplies her with an abundance of packet money schools to them, although they have been heavily taxed to support such schools? Is it

he was taken with ague, and on the advice of a for the purpose of oppressing them and making cover, and in 1880 he was strong and healthy and a pity that the history of the Chinese colony has

ON BOARD A SPANISH SHIP.

Mrs. M. H. Hayes writes to the Singapore Free Press as follows :-

After missing the German Lloyd's steamer stant application of bot clothe failed to warm his and having nothing to detain us in Colombo, we limbs. Four years ago he swoke and a few days went the round of the Agents to find some outafter returned to work. He would not believe sider to convey us to Singapore. The only ship that he had been so long asleep. For throe going for a week or two days was a Spanish Hofmann, the father of the musical prodigy, months he kept at work. One day his wife was merchantman with passengers and troops bound bers everlooked Tls. 1,000 one of the passengers, has cancelled an engagement at Worcester, Mass., sick, and while waiting on her he became dizzy for Manila and touching there. The Agents a silknian, had with him. Hohow is only some on the ground that the boy is suffering from and fell to the floor. From that time until 17th | were very casual, could not tell us for certain three miles from Canton; yet such things can be! nervous prostration. An action for \$57,500 has February last he has been in a condition of stupor, whother she was really going to stop at Sin-Extraordinary occurrence at Fatshau. Sounds been brought. The plaintiff says the boy is in only rousing at midnight sufficiently to take a gapore, didn't know if she'd any room or baths heard as of hundreds of people crying and howl- excellent health, and that if anything at all is small quantity of toast and coffee. At other hours for ladies, anyhow as she would be sure not to sail ing night after night, culminating in the tablet wrong with him it is only the result of excessive it was impossible to wake him, and noise would before midnight we'd better see the captain on over the door of the Kwanyin Temple falling feasting after performances. One agent says not disturb him. Some doctors who took an in- board. We accordingly went to the ship and found with a crash. The alarmed neighbours have, he saw Josef eating a big Hamberger steak at terest in the case pronounced it softening of the her to be a splendid steamer of 5,000 tons with however, secured the assistance of some Taolst the Parker House, Boston, before retiring. A brain. Others looked on it as a form of paraly- room for us and a bath. Onr luggage arrived from

> a similar position he said he felt like "a orumb notion, of assisting anyone and who regarded us no one on deck, but it was explained to us in French that dinner was going on below. I looked at my watch and it was five c'clock. Though I did'nt want my dinner at that hour I reminded myself of the old saying, "When we go to Rome, &c.," and descended with my best smile prepared to be as agreeable as I could. I liked the look of the funny little dishes of clives, sardines, anchovies, celery, encumber, &c., detted about the table, and was surprised to find three kinds of wine by my side, for which I had not to sign. They then brought me soup, very nice; some asparagua done with ment, some slices of beef and fried potatoes, a dish of fried eggs and plantains, chicken and salad, fish, pudding and coffee: All these things were well cooked and we dined much better than we'd done for weeks. With coffee came pastry, a glass of champagne,

When I got on deck, I found all the ladies

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to sing, dance, and trot myself out. They liked my singing, but Tosti's music finds no of office were opened on the Srd, with the usual favour with them. Spaniards sing just like the claborate Chinese breakfast at the College. On natives of India and with as much melody. the same day there were some scratch rades here. I asked if someone would play they guitar: I hear that the Thibstan resident has been but though there were more than 300 souls on recalled by Imperial Decree and that the Hi board there was not a single stringed instru- resident has been transferred to Thibet. The ment except my banjo! They did not care for Vice-resident, to Lhassa is on his way thither; my dancing; but said that it was too s'ow and he is instructed to arrange the Sikkim difficulty mournful. They like to turn round like toote- and a period extending to a few months has been tums for five minutes and then pant for breath, asked by the Chinese Government in which to and they admit that the English are very grace. permit of all questions being settled. I observe ful in the dance but it is very triste.

the young hidies would dance with the castanets, action, we hear, is likely to be taken soon to They had none on board; but after a long in open up the West river, and the matter has been quiry I heard that a second class passenger, a referred to Vicercy Li. French lady, would lend hors: Unfortunately The name of the death of the Emperor

dirty and fond of smoking. The purser, a and the servants of the Legation have been gentleman of the old school, had been a Colonel placed in mourning. in the Army, but lost his commission through and Italian, and was our interpreter pro ton.

our indigenous curates and missionaries, these on there. Daily News Correspondent nice good young men kept to themselves and practised what English dergy would have called self-denial with respect to making themselves agreeable to the ladies. I thought at first that they might have been thinking of home, of mothors and sistors; so to cheer one or two of the youngest up a bit,-Laignified that I should like a game of dominous, which is their favourite pastime. My advance was skilfully though most, courteously parried by the substitution of a gentleman in a striped flunnel coat for one in black attire. These monks really score to have their heart in their calling, for when they are not playing dominoes, eating, deinking very weak lamonade, or sleeping, they read their with an intentness equalled only by an amateur actor of work memory, who is learning | On London .up his " part " against time. For the spiritual wants of those on board, the company considerately provide a padre, who, if anything, cons his "part" with still more assidulty than the young parsons. This good man, who sports black uniform with violet facings, doss not appear very successful in gathering, together the members of his flock for matins that he holds every ON PARIS. day in the after saloon, which, with neatly dressed altar, candlestick, bell and every other accessory on right, is devoted to the use of the ministry for ON NEW YORK .prayer and praise, as well as for feeding. At Singapore I parted from my newly made friends with regret, as they had been to a man and woman, kind and pleasant to us. I had formorly believed that the charming civility shown by English captains and officers of passenger vessels to ladios, was a prorogative of their nationality and vocation. I can now say that in this respect, the Spanlard, as we found him, runs a dead heat with our own dear British tar

### NEWOHWANG.

3rd March.

It is probable the river will be open to navigation on the 25th March. A good shipping is looked for, and prices of exports are moderate. According to Chinese calculation spring commonced on 22nd day 12th month (3rd February, For two or three days afterwards the weather was comparatively mild, but after that very 'short spoll of spring the coldest and most unpleasant three weeks were experienced of the whole winter, the thermometer going down to 8 degrees below zero Fahr., that is, 40 degrees of frost, with strong wind and heavy falls of snow. The ice is said to be, at least three feet thick in the river, but a few days of thaw such as usually occur in March will soon put an end to the traffic by carts. In the early part of the cold season much snow is said to have fallen in Mongolis and myriads of sand ed open to them till lately. Sportsmen have made big bags, and natives have snared large quantities—so that the delicate bird has been easily obtained-perhaps not quite so cheaply though as some years ago, when grouse were as cheap as aggs, and could be bought at 100 per

The distress in the interior has not been a great as the last two winters, the crops having been on a splondid scale last harvest. Still we hear of bands of robbars that have to be contiqually fought by the "braves," who occasionally got the worst of it. Several tigors have been brought down-and are to be seen in the native town. One of them is a very handsome beast with a splendid head. The value of a tiger we learn is from Tls. 150 to Tls. 250, the bones and other parts of the animal being prized as medicine. Tiger skins are much more valuable than formerly and very large skins are scarcely over seen now.

The roads have been very good nearly all the winter and great numbers of carts have brought peas, oil and all kinds of produce from the country. Opium (nativo), has reached Moukdon in such quantity it is said that it quite interferes with the ordinary financial operations of traders There is already much more prepared opium for sals-at very much lower rates than Indian drug-than can be consumed for the year. Possibly some of it may have to be exported. What an answer to the accusation that opinin has been · forced upon the Chinese at the common's mouth! -N. C. Daily Nows Correspondent.

## PEKING.

14th March. The Emperor proceeded on the 19th to the sacrifices there and to plough the required piece of land. The Southern gate was open, the flagstones of the great street leading South have been taken up preparatory to being relaid, the Chinese Imperial Loan, 1886 E-9 per cent innumerable booths and erections, which so much disfigure and belittle our magnificient Regent Street have been removed and the two miles of prospect, with assething mass of humanity-Peking turned out on a holiday-with the towers of the gates at both ends, gave a vista from either end which the Champs Elysée in Paris would find it hard in some respects to beat. The possibility of making Peking a grand capital lies ready to our hand. The first half of the month is given uplentirely to fairs and holidays.

A poper by Mr. Stonehouse, late of Shanghai, on Monachism in the Early Church was read the other night at the Literary and Debating Society, and a discussion followed. The views expressed we e generally against monkery, although the ascetic life, cultivating compasto the poor and purity of life were emphasised. Excepting the Secretary and another member, the audience, not very large, was composed entirely of missionaries. The subject may be supposed to be peculiarly missionary, but where were all the young men P Probably at this late festive season and the Chinese New Year holidays besides, when so many song t a, change to the hills or Tientsin/a paper on Monasticism was not much appreciated, but it was quite an interesting one. Buddhist and Taoist monasticism, however, at the present day in China might have proved a more agreeable and practical subject, and one affording wide

scope for effective treatment. The Missionary Association has held another of its meetings at which interesting papers by the Revs. Mr. Crossett and Mr. Wherry were read on the Deaf Mutes of Chinn, and a Committee of four, two British and two Americans, were appointed to draw up plans and map out the subject and report at next meeting. Mr. Wherry spoke of the suitability of the Chinese language for the early instruction of the Chinese deaf. An animated and lively discussion took place. Peinperature ...... Mr. Murray is to read a paper on efforts for the

blind at the next meeting. The Oriental Society has held another of its meetings at which Col. Denby read an excellent paper on the Competitive System of Examinations in China, Great Britain, and United States. An interesting discussion took place. The Dr. bating Society discussed Free Trade versus Protection the other evening. Two American gentlemen took the lead respectively on the affirmative and negative side. The vote on the merits of the arguments was in favour of the former, although had all those who spoke in favour of protection voted, the numbers would

have been about equal.

that the Nepaulese Mission, to the number of As I'd done their bidding I asked if one of forty-five persons, has arrived here. Some

the young lady could not or would not dance Germany, reached here on the 10th. Great alone, and os no one else could do it, it fell regret is felt at his demise, especially at the present juncture. As soon as the news arrived None of them could play the piane; all they all the Legation flags were at once run up half seemed to chro for was sitting idle all day. No most and for the next eight days they will games of ourse or dominoes, no reading, no remain so. The Foreign Ministers were imsewing day after day there they gat, no wonder mediately informed of the and ovent and called the smallest of them weighed Il stone. Many upon the German Minister! His Excellency the prople write and talk about Spanish beauties; I Morquis Tsing put on his mourning robes and should like to see some very much, for in Gibral- also paid his respects. The entire Tsung-li tar we only saw the ugly open and on this ship Yamen will go to the German Legation in none could hold a candle to a clean looking Eng. mourning robes and offer their condolences to the Minister, after which the Emperor of China The mon were all Government officials, very will telegraph his condolences. All the Gormans

The Emporer is preparing to visit the Temple taking part in a revolution. He is a well of the Sun. One good effect of the Imperial educated man, converses fluently in both French | outing is the destruction pro tem of the miserable shantles which disgrace our thoroughfares. The The Church mustered strong on board, there lirst of the second moon is the birthday of the being more than a dozen going monks bound to sun, and Chinese burn income and prostrate the Philippines with the object. I presume, of themselves to the great male principle at suprise. converting the tobacco-growing inhabitants of The Emperor will visit Wan Shoushan two those islands. Quite contrary to the habits of months bence. Great repairs are being carried

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erak Tin Mining and Smelting Company Punjom and Sunghio Dua Samantan Mining Company, Limited-\$12 per share. Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tls. 18 per

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CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. 25th March, 1849, at 4 r.w.

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The Barometer has fallen slightly in the B.W. and riven closewhere. Guidents are steep for E.B.E. winds. Cloudy, warm, and damp weather prevails. W. DOBERCK.

Hongkong Observatory, 26th Merch, 1888. METLOROLUGICAL REGISTER. Previous On date On date day, ot 10 a.m. at 4 p.m. Harometer ..... 29.05 E.N.E.

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5.—State of the Weather: B. dide sky; C. detached clouds; D. drissling min; F. fog; G. gloomy; H. hall; L. lightning; O. overcast; P. passing showers; Q. squally; H. rate; S. enow; T. thunder; V. visibility; W. dew (wet).

7.—Rate in inches, tenths and hundrottes.

W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, 26th March, 1888.

Spring weather has come at last. The scale

# March 2 th,

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Hongkong, 16th March, 1886.

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A MAIL WILL CLOSE For Nagasaki, Kebe, and Vokoluma.-Per Glamorganshire, today, the 27th inst., at 9,30 For Saigon. Per Benefider, to-day, the 27th inst., at Il.30 A.M. For Amoy and Manila - Par Zufiro, today, the 27th inst. at 4.39 P.M. For Saison .- Per Septime, to-day, the 27th

inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Haifong .- Per Meric, to morrow, the 28th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Taiwantoo,-Par-Thales, on Thursday, the 29th ingt., at 11.39 A.M. For Salgon,-Per Falkenburg, on Friday, the 30th inst., at 4.30 P.M. For Straits and Calentia .- Per Japan, on

Saturday, the 31st just., at 11.30 A.M. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Ganges will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 28th inst., ... with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, vice Brindisia to \* There will be no Launch on Monday and the Straits Settlements, Notherlands India, Burmah, Coylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and

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culars ceases. (Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to do clock if they are tied in bundles. country by country, with the addresses all one way. Those for the United Kingdom must be divided into (1) London, (2) England and Wales, (3) Scotland, (4) Ireland; those for Germany into (1) Hamburg, (2) other places in Gormany.) 4.00 P.M.—Registry ceases. Posting of newspapers, books, and patterns ceases.

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LATE LETTERS may then be posted in the

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Officers named above. (4.) The letters must not exceed half an ounce No handkerchiofs, jewellery, &c., can be sent even with the ends open .-(5.)—If from a Soldier or Sallor his class and description must be stated in full on the letter the cover of which must be signed by the Commanding Officer, with name of regiment, ship, &c.

(6). Soldiers and Sailors have no privileges. with regard to books or papers. But not Warrant Officers, Assistant Engineers Gunners, Boatswains, or Carpenters.

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scription with name of regiment, ship, &c., must TEA MUSTERS.

MABEL TAYLOR, Brit. ship, Durkil.—Carlowitz | more safely in flat tins, which are not so liable size. The tine should not have sharp corners.

EXTUACTS

GUM TREES. and fuel of many of the Australian gum tigrees in ber right leg. She was round in trees (eucalyptus), have induced planters in an instant and eropched to spring, but quick this country to attempt their ou tivation; but as lightning he fired and struck her in the the experiments have proved beyond question centre of her forehend; but the muscular that none of the species is sufficiently hardy action of her spring took place, and she to bear the winters of the eastern and central orashed towards him, rolling over dead parts of this kingdom. In some localities almost at his very feet. He then went and they escape injurious effects during a looked at the three animals he had killed, a cycle of comparatively mild winters, giving and tore his pockethandkerchief into strips rise to hopes that they are permanently and hung them in spots near so as to be THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Comestablished; but a colder winter, or a cold visible at a little distance on. wet autumu, followed by an ordinary winter After this Lieutenant Hall lost his way kills, or irremediably injures the young trees. in the jungle, but was guided to camp by Of the many species tried at Kew, for inst- the sound of the bugles. Here at breakfast ance, only one, Eucalyptus Gunnii, has lived be told, amid general incredulity, the result through many years without some kind of of his morning's sport, nor was his peroften been destroyed. A tree of Encalyptus tigers were brought in in triumph by coolies Gunnii, which for many years bore the incor- who had been sent in search of them rect name of Encalyptus polyantheme, stood, Licutenant Hall's prowess procured for him some thirty years ago, near the old Mesembry- from the Political Agent a staff appointment anthemum house, near or on the site of the which it was at that time almost impossible present Orchid house, and many will re- for any one to get without great personal member it as the first Australian tree they interest, which the lieutement did not possess had seen growing in the open air in England. It was then perhaps about 20 feet high, and, so far as we remember, it was not materially injured by the intense frost of 1860-61, when large specimens of Cupressus macrecarpa and Pinus' insignis were killed outright. That season the thermometer fell, on two or three occasions, below zero at Kew, where, if . we remember fightly, it has never since been so low. Some years later, which the new range of bouses was built, the alteration necessitated the removal of this tree, and it was transferred to the western slope of the mound on which the lemple of Bolus stands, near to No. 2 Museum, and the result was that it died to the ground, or nearly so; but, what

A QUICK CALCULATOR.

is still flourishing .- Gardeners' Chronicle.

Reuben Fields, a most extraordinary individual, has returned to his home in Kentucky, after air absence of some years in the West. Fields is known far and wide us the "Mathematical Prodige," and, indeed, he is a wonderful creature. Perfectly illiterate not being able to tell one letter or figure from another, be bears the same relation to the science of mathematics that Blind Toin does to music. Fields is now about twentyeight years of age, and his ability to quickly and correctly solve the most difficult problems was discovered when be was eight years old. That faculty continued to develop until he is able to solve, with amazing rapidity, any problem in simple or compound fractions, or anything in the higher branches of mathematics. For instance, the moon is a certain number of miles from the earth; a grain of corn is so long; how many grains will it take to connect the points? The answer to this or any other problem comes like a finah. He can also tell to a second the time of day or night! This marvellous man has been tested | HOCKS, BURGUNDY. by the most expert mathematicians, and his BRANDY, WHISKIES, ALE, STOUT. invariably correct. He claims that his power STOVES, and TRICYCLES. is a direct gift from the Creator, and liable to be taken away from him if not properly used. The possessor of this gift never went to school a day in his life, and never did a day's work, except to occasionally aid merchapts in lavoicing their goods, and in this business he has been known to keep a score or more of clerks busy footing up columns of figures. He is a very large man, and has occupation, he lives among his acquaintances, putting up wherever night overtakes him. He is very proud of his gift, and frequently FRESH compares himself to Samson. Fields gave an exhibition of his powers before Governor Crittenden and other distinguished man of Missouri on a late visit West, and they consider him one of the greatest wonders of the century. - Knowledge.

TIGER-SHOOTING EXTRAORDINARY. Mr. John Powell, a zemindar in the Saharunpore district, shot three very fine Address :- Care of Messrs. Kwong Sunc & Co. tigers a 'short' time ago under peculiar and exceptional circumstances. Mr. Powell had 38 gone down to his estate-which is in the vicinity of Badshabagh, a village on the south side, and two to three miles from the Timil Pass, on the road between Saliarunpore and Chukrata. It seems a buffalo had been killed by a tiger. Mr. Powell had a machan tied up near it; on this he sat for some considerable time; but, bothing turning up; then had a bath and intended to go for a drive; but changed his mind and went again to the machan. He had sourcely settled himself down-that is, he had not been in the machan ton minutes-when out stalked DEY a, fine full-grown tiger from the adjoining jungle and commenced to devour the dead buffalo. Ho fired a shot, which hit it in the shoulder and rolled it over dead. He had scarcely reloaded the discharged barrel when out came another; at this he fired four shots before he gave it its quietus. This animal had hardly given up moving its body in its final death throes, when an enormous tigress put in berappearance. One well-aimed shot atruck her close to the aye and rolled her 2543] over dead. Now all three tigers were killed in a space of time somewhat less than half an hour; and the very next day be killed a remarkably fine panther over the same kill, . In the cold weather of 1844-45 the 22nd

This performance recalls to " A Veteran," who writes in the Civil and Military Gazette, an occurrence of a very similar character;-Native Infantry was on escort duty with the camp of the Agent to the Governor-General in the States of Rajpootane. On one occasion the camp halted in the vicinity words which the Chinese have of late years been application to of a river, where was a very beavy tamarisk compelled to coin to express the numerous objungle. Here, for some reason or another, jects in machinery, photography, telegraphy, the Political Officer halted. Lieutenant Hall and inscience generally, which the rapid advance got some of the inhabitants of the adjoining of foreign relations has imposed upon them, are villages to his tent and began to cross-examine them concerning the existence of for students of a most instructive nature. Both game in the adjoining jungle. The villagers, the Court and Punti pronunciations are given in reply to his inquiries, told him that they the accents being carefully marked on the best could scarcely give him any definite informs. principle hitherto attained. The typography tion, nor could they say what was or was displays the success of an attempt to make the the for some time past much harrassed and many of body, thereby effecting a vast economy of their cattle killed by tigers; that the inner was full of them, and for that reason jungle was full of them, and for that reason and vacant spaces which have heretofore charact their Specialities and Export Markets. no one had dared to enter it. This was torized Chinese publications. enough for Hall, a man scarcely to be To illustrate the vast scope of the work the surpassed with the rifle; so be determined to following facts are submitted for consideration: in all parts: try his luck. That night be cleaned up his rifle and dried his powder, sewed up his bullets in the tips of discarded white kid girles, and carefully greased them. Next morning, before a soul was stirring, Hall was up; a villager as a guide having slept other elementary works as yet published, the with his servants during the night. The with his servants during the night. The student of this difficult language absolutely reday was just light enough to see fairly, quires examples to display the various appliwhen he and his guide with his spare gun cations and equivalents of different words which left the tent, and made their way towards have one general meaning. Of these examples the tamarisk jungle. The two plodded this work contains more than five times as along for fully three-quarters of an hour along for fully three-quarters of an hour lished. without seeing or hearing anything except For practical purposes the arrangement of the snapping of the decayed wood under the work is so complete, that a reference to its their feet, when all of a sudden the coolie pages enables a person who understands English stopped and pointed to a tawny object in to communicate effectively with natives who front of him. Hall brought up his rifle, and, understand nothing but Chinese. In this respect taking a steady shot, rolled the brute over. the work wilk be found indispensable to all Turning for his second gun, he found his guide had eloped. Fortunately he had the ammunition with him. He had hardly To parties resident in England and interested hastily releaded—it was not in the days of in China it cannot but be invaluable occasionbreech-loaders, and the operation of reloading ally. a rifle took some little time-when, from a lt comprises upwards of two thousand large thick patch of grass in his immediate front, quarto pages. out stalked another tiger. A quick and A Large REDUCTION in PRICE is made steady sight and a touch of the trigger, and to Purchasers of SIX or more Copies.

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